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### Interview Summary

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Applicant(s)

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Examiner

Gerald G Leffers Jr.

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All participants (applicant, applicant's representative, PTO personnel):

(1) Gerald G Leffers Jr.

(3) Kathy Williams.

(2) Mark Fitzgerald.

(4) \_\_\_\_\_.

Date of Interview: 22 May 2003.

Type: a) ☒ Telephonic b) ☐ Video Conference  
c) ☐ Personal [copy given to: 1) ☐ applicant 2) ☐ applicant's representative]

Exhibit shown or demonstration conducted: d) ☐ Yes e) ☒ No.

If Yes, brief description: \_\_\_\_\_.

Claim(s) discussed: 1-16 and 18-44.

Identification of prior art discussed: Del Tito, et al.

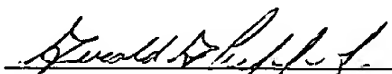
Agreement with respect to the claims f) ☐ was reached. g) ☒ was not reached. h) ☐ N/A.

Substance of Interview including description of the general nature of what was agreed to if an agreement was reached, or any other comments: Ms. Williams presented a new argument: Buchanon declarations show ~3 fold difference for 3 tRNA gene vectors vs. 2 gene vectors. Discussed degree of commercial success required to make unobvious over prior art. Ms. Williams requested interview with SPE or BPS and examiner prior to next action.

(A fuller description, if necessary, and a copy of the amendments which the examiner agreed would render the claims allowable, if available, must be attached. Also, where no copy of the amendments that would render the claims allowable is available, a summary thereof must be attached.)

THE FORMAL WRITTEN REPLY TO THE LAST OFFICE ACTION MUST INCLUDE THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. (See MPEP Section 713.04). If a reply to the last Office action has already been filed, APPLICANT IS GIVEN ONE MONTH FROM THIS INTERVIEW DATE TO FILE A STATEMENT OF THE SUBSTANCE OF THE INTERVIEW. See Summary of Record of Interview requirements on reverse side or on attached sheet.

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Examiner's signature, if required